

Parsons-Souders

JUNE 16, 1914

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# Annual JUNE REDUCTIONS

**Save 20 to 25% On China**  
**Hand Painted Limogese Less 25 Per Cent**  
**Open Stock Dinner Sets Less 20 Per Cent**  
**Regular Stock Cut Glass Less 20 Per Cent**  
**Other Special Offerings In Household Goods.**

## Special Dinner Sets Less 20%

### 100 Piece Dinner Set \$10

100-piece Dinner Set, white and gold decoration, gold traced handles. Special \$10.00.

100-piece Dinner Set, blue forget-me-nots with green foliage. Gold traced handles. Special \$10.00.

100-piece Dinner Set, pink spray, gold traced, \$10.00.

100-piece Dinner Set, wild rose design, very handsome with mat gold handles. Extra special \$13.50.

100-piece Dinner Set with conventional design, mat gold handles. Extra special \$13.50.

100-piece Dinner Set in plain bands of gold and dark blue. Gold traced. Price \$30.00.

100-piece Dinner Set in a beautiful pink rose, gold traced. Special \$15.00.

100-piece Austrian Dinner Set, real \$30.00 value, for \$14.00.

## 1200 Pieces of Pure Aluminum Ware at Low- est Prices

"Lowest" prices mean everything or nothing. The goods at the price tell the story; therefore, when we say a "Special" distribution of "Pure" aluminum ware at "lowest" prices it is with perfect confidence of knowing what we are talking about, and to all the homes in all Clarksburg who may be interested in kitchen utensils made in this finest of ware, are urged to come and share the benefits of this unusual distribution.

Ice Pitchers, 2 qt. \$1.25; 3 qt. \$1.50.  
 Tea Kettles, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50.  
 Percolators, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00.  
 Lemonade Shakers 35c.  
 Collenders, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.  
 Berlin Kettles, 5 qt. with cover \$1.00.  
 Berlin Sauce Pans with cover \$1.00.  
 Dippers, 45c.  
 Pint Cups, 25c.  
 8 Cup Percolators \$3.00.  
 Coffee Pots, 3 qts. \$2.25.  
 Frying Pans \$1.00 to \$2.50.  
 Pans of all sorts 10c to \$1.00.  
 Chafing Dishes \$5.00.  
 Tea Pots \$2.25.  
 1-2 Gallon Measures \$1.00.  
 Strainers 60c to \$1.50.  
 Pails of all sorts 65c to \$2.25.  
 Double Boilers \$1.75 to \$2.50.  
 Steamers \$3.00 to \$5.00.  
 Deep Berlin Kettles with cones, 6 qt. size \$1.75.  
 Sauce Pans, 1 qt. 30c; 2 qt. 50c; 3 qt. 60c.  
 Combination Cereal Tea Kettles, \$2.75.  
 Preserving Kettles, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

## Mid - Summer Millinery

The New Whip-Sailor—very smart style. Black and white, with leather band. This style at \$5.50.

White Sport Hats—Sailor patterns of white duck and corduroy. Priced \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Special Hats at \$5.00—Some of the very smartest styles. Pattern Hats, Mid-Summer Hats—Splendid values at \$5.00.



## SPECIAL CORSET SALE 12 Styles Red-Fern Corsets

These celebrated Red-fern Corsets are all elegant styles, but certain numbers are discontinued each season and these numbers are closed out, by allowing each merchant to sell these numbers at half price. We offer these 12 styles during the next ten days. You may be able to get just the style you always wear. Redfern Corsets at half price.



## White Long Tunic Skirts

For Women and Misses

Separate Walking Skirts of White Cordelaine, P. K., Bedford Cord, Rice Cloth and Natural Linen.

\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50  
 Of Linen, coarse or fine, imported Ratines, Crepes and Corde.

\$3.00, \$3.50, \$5.00 to \$10.00

Fancy Novelties in Roman stripe girdles, black Moire girdle, \$1.25. Copenhagen and Navy Blue at \$1.00.

Light Blue, Pink, Lavender, Navy and Black Girdles at 50c.

Persian Ribbons, also the plain colored Moire Ribbons 50c a yard.

## Nine Dresses Out of Ten Have the New Russian Tunic Skirts

More Than 150 Women's Cool Summer Dresses  
 Specially Priced at \$4.90, \$6.90, \$9.90  
 and \$13.90

Newly arrived, to be sold at a fourth to half less than this season's prices.

How are such matters possible?

The answer is simple. All of these dresses come from certain manufacturers of whom we buy largely the year round—they are large operators used to a large voluminous business and at this particular season they meet the keen rivalry of competition in producing some especially good dress styles at minimum cost, thus enabling us to get splendid values for our four groups, \$4.90, \$6.90, \$9.90 and \$13.90, which we are featuring this June month.

Crepes, Linens, Voiles in plain and flowered; practically every frock is different; we're careful to avoid duplication to any degree that would cause uniformity in dress.

TRUE  
VALUES

Parsons-Souders Co.

Main Street  
Between "2 & 3"

COME TO THE FIRST ANNUAL HARRISON COUNTY PICNIC, NEW FAIR GROUND, FOURTH OF JULY.

## Social and Personal

### Articles on Sale.

The Priscilla Shop is open again to its many patrons in room No. 310 on the third floor of the Union Bank building, and has a unique and varied lot of beads, baskets and beautiful fancy work on sale. Everyone is cordially invited to call and see them.

### For Visitors.

Complimentary to Miss Clara Gibson, of Parkersburg, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Wetherell, Miss Evelyn Wilson entertained at a delightful porch party from 8 to 11 o'clock last evening. Japanese lanterns were pleasingly arranged on the veranda.

Among the many enjoyable diversions of the evening's entertainment were music, dancing and a hat trimming contest, the latter affording much amusement for those who participated. At 10 o'clock refreshments were served. The guest list included among the out of town visitors Miss Gibson, of Parkersburg; Miss Mary Ellen Henry, of Fairmont; Miss Harriet Jones, of Salem, and Miss Genevieve Race, of Fairmont.

### Birthday Party.

Little Miss Hazel Jones entertained a number of her friends at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. John McGowan, on West Pike street, in celebration of her sixth birthday, from 5 to 7 o'clock Monday afternoon.

A large number of invited guests were in attendance and all spent a most delightful two hours. The tables in the dining room, where refreshments were served, were beautifully decorated, pink and white roses being used. The guests were presented with attractive souvenirs by the little hostess. Beautiful music was rendered by Miss Isabelle McGowan.

### Elk Park Opens.

A gala occasion was the opening of Elk Park to the public at 7 o'clock last evening. Large crowds from this city arrived at the park on every car, a ten minute schedule being in operation.

Dancing, roller skating, a merry-go-round and other amusements were highly enjoyed by the large crowd in attendance, all of whom were genuinely surprised by the attractive appearance of Clarksburg's new park.

Other amusements, including a motion picture show, will be put in operation in a few days. Many picnic parties have already made application to the management of the park for the holding of picnics in the park grounds and many pleasant days will be passed there during the hot summer months.

### Officers Elected.

The officers elected to serve the ensuing year at the regular meeting of Clarksburg Commandery No. 18, Knights Templars, which was held last evening in the Masonic temple were:

Eminent commander—John S. Flanagan.  
 Generalissimo—B. F. Matheny.  
 Captain general—Morgan Parsons.  
 Prelate—D. K. Reed.  
 Recorder—F. E. Delbridge.  
 Treasurer—Charles W. Furbee.  
 Senior warden—George C. Finley.  
 Junior warden—Earl Carpenter.  
 Standard bearer—W. A. Sawyer.  
 Sword bearer—E. W. Laubenstein.  
 Warden—George W. Duncan.  
 Sentinel—Edward K. Stout.  
 Guards—O. G. Radabaugh, A. F. Wagner and H. C. Hoffman.  
 Retiring commander—W. T. Merriam.

### Church Festival.

A festival will be held at 8 o'clock Saturday evening in the Methodist Episcopal church at Quiet Dell. Ice cream, cake and lemonade will be served. The proceeds will be used for the Union Sunday school and church. The public is cordially invited to attend.

### Recital Tonight.

The following program will be rendered by the pupils of St. Joseph's Academy in St. Mary's auditorium at 8 o'clock this evening:

Chorus—Merrily I Roam—Schleiffarth.  
 The Class.  
 Piano Trio—Bloom and Blossom—Holst.  
 Misses Mildred Whalen, Genevieve Whalen, Helen McGraw.

Reading—The Dark Brown Diplomat—Miss Mary Clarkson.  
 Piano Quartette—Bucéphale—L. Dessaux.

Misses Wilma Gaines, Marguerite Moran, Edna Keough, Mary Madden.

Reading—The Saving Clause—Miss Regina Deem.  
 Piano—Spring March—Tutschek.

Misses Catherine Walsh, Lucille Mulvaney, Catherine Caville, Mary Clarkson, Mabel Shannon, Louise Murray, Cecilia Healy, Mamie Healy, Mildred Healy.

Reading—Higher Culture in Dixie—Miss Catherine Flanagan.  
 Piano Quartette—Rhapsody March—F. Liszt.

Misses Garnet Gaines, Anna Connell, Ella Feeney, Elizabeth Gremer.

Reading—Bobby Shaftoe—Miss Marguerite Moran.  
 Piano Solo—Le Papillon—C. Lavellee.

Miss Regina Keenan.  
 Reading—Flying Jim's Last Leap—Miss Wilma Gaines.

Semi Chorus—The Legend of the Bells—Pianquette.

Piano—Valse Caprice—Ratbun.  
 Misses Elsie Morris, Catherine Divine, Madeline Donohue, Anna Clarkson, Nell Coughlin, Helen Mulvaney.

Piano Solo—Witches' Dance—McDowell.  
 Miss Regina Caulfield.

Reading—(a) Kentucky Philosophy (b) Peter Johnking—Miss Elsie Morris.  
 Piano Duo—Military March—Schubert.

Miss Regina Caulfield, Miss Regina Keenan.  
 Pantomime—Jesus, Lover of My Soul.  
 Misses Wilma Gaines, Marguerite Moran, Catherine Flanagan, Lucy Martin.

Voice—Miss Eva Keenan.  
 Chorus—Ave Maria—Rosewig.  
 The Pupils.  
 Violins—Messrs. C. T. Moller, Charles Gaylord, Paul Craig, John Conway.

### Surprise Birthday Party.

A most enjoyable surprise birthday party was given Mrs. Arthur Barren recently at her home on Fowlers avenue by her daughter, Mrs. Burl Stutler. Mr. and Mrs. Barren were out calling and upon returning home found quite a number of her friends and neighbors there.

Music was the diversion of the diversion of the evening. A guessing contest was held, Mrs. Ira Jolliffe being awarded the first prize and Mrs. Minnie Lightner the booby prize. Refreshments were served at an appointed hour.

Mrs. Barren received a number of pretty and useful presents. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Lightner, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Stutler, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Jolliffe, Mr. and Mrs. William Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Chadwell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alton, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cottrill, Mr. and Mrs. David Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Love, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pratt, Mrs. Will McClelland, Albert Barren, Misses Georgia Stutler, Arline Cottrill, Garnet Long, Ellen Alton, Mildred Lowe, Alta Cottrill, Robert McClelland, Rick and Alton and Arnet Jolliffe.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. Archibald G. Lamont has as her house guests her mother, Mrs. Robert L. Smith, and her cousin, Mrs. Sarah McMillan, both of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Martha D. Steek, of Sewickley, Pa., is visiting Mrs. Henry S. McCune, of Broad Oaks.

F. G. Hawkins was here Tuesday from Jane Lew.

Harvey Post, of Lost Creek, visited the city Tuesday.

William K. Kendrick, of Morgantown, is transacting business here.

M. Ireland is here from West Union.

Charles Poe, of Parkersburg, is a city business visitor.

Samuel L. Fox, of Davis, is a business visitor here.

F. S. Crocker was here from Wallace Tuesday looking after business affairs.

R. A. Smith, of Beckley, is a guest at the Waldo.

W. C. Lippincott, of Richwood, is transacting business here.

W. H. Field, of Charleston, is here on a brief business visit.

G. S. Greathouse is here from Westburg.

Misses Esther O'Neill and Mary Heinaling of Altoona, Pa., and Miss Marguerite Pitzell, of Kittanning, Pa., are here from Pittsburgh to visit Miss Ionia Smith. They are former schoolmates of Miss Smith at Woman's College, Pittsburgh.

## SALEM

SALEM, June 16—The summer term of Salem College opened Monday with a good attendance. This summer school gives special attention to instruction to teachers.

Prof. Moses H. Van Horn has indicated his intention to sever his connection with Salem College and become the superintendent of the Salem public school, succeeding Prof. G. W. Hogg, Jr.

A very interesting program was rendered by the Baptist Sunday school at its Children's Day service Sunday. A large crowd was present and the offering exceeded \$30.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Sturm, of Mineral, are visiting Mr. Sturm's brother and other relatives at Bristol.

The old and historic graveyard at the Seventh Day Baptist church is being thoroughly cleaned up. The trees and shrubbery are being pruned and the ground leveled with a view of putting it in a nice grass sod. The move is being financed by the ladies of the church.

The rumored shut down in the oil fields is viewed with apprehension and fear by many of the operators and workers. It is reported that the production is to be curtailed and new work stopped, and that the pipe lines will decline to receive oil in the near future.

The Bristol Gas Company is making extensive extensions of its lines.

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In this new lot of Shirt Waists, the most beautiful line of moderately priced Waists in Clarksburg, some are Voiles with tan or blue embroidery work, some are striped Voile with cluny lace for trimming while in short, we might say that we have almost any waist that anybody would wish for. We can give you a China Silk Waist, newest style, specially priced, far

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## "The Woman's Store"

in the city limits in order to accommodate more patrons and to be prepared to give good service when the cold weather comes again. A large force of men has been engaged in the work.

W. F. Meredith and son are rapidly constructing their electric light plant. The poles for the wires are being placed in position and it will not be long before the city will be supplied with electricity for domestic use.

Rumor has it that two prominent young people of the city will be married at an early date.

Cred Collins is at home this week, having just returned from an extensive canvass in the interest of the New York Life insurance Company.

## CHURCHES

(Continued from page one.)

burg. 8:20—Report of committees: Watchword and aim, resolutions, nominations.

Address—Our Work in China—Mrs. M. E. Poland, returned missionary.

Song—Benediction—Mrs. J. D. McReynolds, Clarksburg.

Evening. 7:30—Devotional—Mrs. S. A. Worley, Bluefield.

7:45—Address—"Our Young People"—Mrs. W. E. Pierce, Cameron.  
 Music—Clarksburg ladies quartet.  
 8:00—Address—"Our School at Beckley"—Dr. R. A. Smith, principal Beckley Institute.  
 Song.  
 Benediction.  
 There are sixty delegates and visitors so far. Others are expected.

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 Rocker with arms ..... \$1.75  
 Cobbler Seat Rocker ..... \$2.00  
 Bent Arm Rocker ..... \$2.75  
 Roll Seat Rocker ..... \$4.00  
 Mission Porch Rocker ..... \$2.25  
 Fumed Oak Porch Rocker ..... \$3.00  
 Green or Brown Fiber Rocker ..... \$2.75  
 Double Cane Rockers ..... \$1.00 to \$5.00  
 Old Hickory Porch Rocker ..... \$2.70

## CHAIRS

Six double can Chairs with continuous posts in back, only ..... \$4.00

Six wood diners with straight backs and shaped seats, only ..... \$4.50

Six bent back diners with solid wood seat, strong and comfortable, only ..... \$5.00

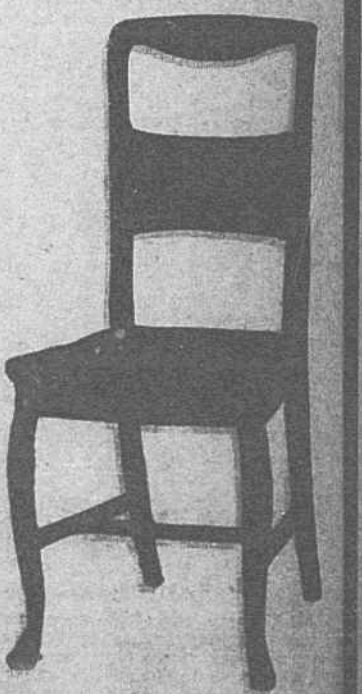
Other diners, latest styles with leather seats, from \$12.50, \$14.00 up to \$40.00

Strong Fumed Oak Porch Chair ..... \$2.75

Large Maple Chair, double Cane Seat ..... \$1.80

Green Fibre Porch Chair ..... \$2.70

Old Hickory Porch Chair ..... \$2.50



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